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COLEMAN PEBBLES

Happenings of Interest in and Around this Bustling Town. You are Talked About

T. W. Davies is building two cottages for T. Steele.

M. B. Sitt spent last Sunday at Homer visiting relatives.

Frank G. Graham has gone to Penitence B. C. to visit his fruit farm.

R. P. Pettipiece was nominated as Socialist candidate for Medicine Hat.

W. A. Martin, manager of P. Burns at Frank, was in town this week.

Rev. T. M. Murray will preach a Labor day sermon on Sunday evening next.

Miss E. A. Anthony has a position at the West Canadian Co-operative store.

R. Bruce Scott of Bruce Gardens, B. C., is in town in the interests of the fruit lands.

Mrs. R. M. Book and son of Blairmore, were visiting friends in Coleman yesterday.

Dr. Bechtel's name has been erased from the list of physicians and surgeons of Alberta.

About fifty people from Coleman, accompanied by the band, visited Michel on Labor day.

The Bishop of Calgary preached in St. Alban's church on Sunday last to a large congregation.

J. E. Upton, of the tailoring firm of Upton & Co., Pincher Creek, spent Wednesday in Coleman.

W. Evans has a new stable built at the back of his store. T. W. Davies did the carpenter work.

W. P. McNeil, vice-president of the H. W. McNeil Company of Canmore, arrived in town on Tuesday.

Messrs. Clark & Morrison of the "Pastime," have added two more new tables to their pool room.

Rev. J. Sergeant, pastor of the Baptist church, will preach next Sunday in L.O.O.F. hall, at 3.30 o'clock.

Rev. Charles Hepworth will conduct divine service in St. Alban's church on Sunday, September 14th.

Look out for the programme of the grand musical festival to be held in the opera house on Friday, September 18th.

Hamer & Davies, carpenters, have dissolved partnership. Mr. Davies is doing the carpenter business himself.

The Palm, formerly owned by Graham & Bridgeford, has changed, and Mr. W. L. Bridgeford is now the proprietor.

A. Ely, representing the Northwest Jobbing Company at Lethbridge, was in town doing business the early part of this week.

WANTED—Work of a general house painter, washing, ironing, house cleaning, etc. Apply to E. Large, house 130, Coleman.

W. O. Taylor went to Pincher Creek on Labor day to assist in the installation of the D.O.K.K., a high degree in the Knights of Pythias.

Jonathan Graham took a trip to Nelson, Blairmore's creek, Castlegar Junction and other places of interest in B. C., and he reports the fishing good.

E. Matthews, clerk at the Mercantile store, went to Moyle on Sunday to visit friends there. He returned on Monday evening having had a jolly time.

John B. Wilkie left last night for Lethbridge, to fill the office of secretary-treasurer of the Royal Collieries, which mining company have moved their offices there.

INSTITUTIONAL CHURCH—Pastor, Rev. T. M. Murray. Services: Sabbath 11 a.m. 7.30 p.m. Sabbath school and Bible class, 2.30. Christian Endeavor, Wednesday 8 p.m.

The improvements to the Coleman hotel have been put in the basement. The lavatories will be removed to the basement, which will be a great improvement.

FOR SALE—A cottage beautifully situated, comfortable and located in the residential portion of Coleman. A good cash proposition or easy terms will be given. S. Charles Brooks, "The Cotton Woods," Brook street, Merritt, Victoria, B.C.

A meeting was held in the club room on Friday evening last to organize a dramatic club. It was decided to practice the interesting and exciting play "Crawford's Claim." Coleman has good talent to produce this play, and it will be got up and rendered in about two months time.

Lethbridge Herald: With John C. Eaton of the R. Eaton Co., as their candidate in south Tarrytown, the Liberals ought to get the mail order vote—This is a candidate of a "scab" firm, and still the Liberals tell the people that they are friends of the working man. "Hot air" is cheap.

It is a common occurrence to see men galloping down the street on horse back. This is a dangerous habit and should be stopped. A team was driven down the main street on Thursday morning at a break neck speed. This sort of thing often endangers children and ladies crossing the street, and men would do well to be more careful.

Messrs. Crawford, Griffiths and Larrigan returned last Friday from the north fork of the Old Man river, where they had been spending several days trout fishing. They report the fish in abundance but not so large as they have been accustomed to get. Jimmy says they are so friendly that they come to the top of the water and eat out of his hand.

The passage rates on the C. P. R. from here to Nelson, B. C., and return during the Nelson fair will be \$30.50. Tickets will be issued for the first day on September 21, good for return to September 28. The fair will last four days, from 23 to 29 September. The C. P. R. will also give cheap passage rates to Victoria and return during the provincial exhibition which will be held there from September 22 to 29. Tickets good from September 19 to 30. Fare \$20.15.

The Masquerade ball held in the new hall on Monday last was a grand success. All the youth and beauty of the town were present. Some of the characters were notable and unique. Mrs. McNeil and Miss Clara Mount took a lot of trouble to prepare their costumes, and they both received first prizes, which were well deserved. Prize winners were: Mrs. J. McNeil, best gentlemen's costume; Miss Clara Mount, best ladies' costume; Miss May Duplop, Frank; John McGee, Hodge; best comic, Miss Jessie A. Hollice, Bellevue.

PRESBYTERY OF MACLEOD

The members of the above named presbytery met in the Institutional church on Tuesday and Wednesday of this week. The ministers present were: Revs. R. H. Munroe, Taber; A. M. Goss, Lethbridge; M. Whitman, Cardston; W. W. Aitchison, Pincher Creek; A. Walker, Macleod; D. Hamilton, Calgary. Student missionaries, W. McPhee, Standoff; P. Spence, Fishburn; W. E. Aitken, Fairburg; H. D. O'Dell, Blairmore. The regular routine of the presbytery was gone through, hearing reports, dealing with assembly remits, etc. A public meeting was held on Tuesday evening when the moderator, Rev. R. H. Munroe, presided. Messrs. Aitchison and Goss giving short addresses. All the visitors were greatly pleased with the club, and the presbytery. Concerning the town and surrounding scenery they had only words of praise. The hospitality extended to them by the congregation was much appreciated. A conference on personal work was held on Wednesday morning when a free discussion of this important subject proved very profitable to all. Four students working in the Presbytery will go east for college work at the end of September.

A NOTABLE VISIT

Tomorrow a large number of members of the Canadian Mining Institute will visit Coleman. They will be accompanied by a number of mining gentlemen from the old country. In all the company will number about fifty. They will arrive here about 4 o'clock and remain until night, when a reception will be held for the visitors in the new hall. A dance will be held in honor of their visit in the evening. The visit of these distinguished gentlemen should be of great benefit to the coal mining industry of this district.

Among the visitors are the following: Jas. Brown, secretary of the mining institute of Scotland; Walter Johnson, representing the Iron and Steel Institute, Hugh F. Marriot, representing the Institute of Mining and Metallurgy; W. Frecheville, past president of the same institute; John Ashworth, president of the Manchester Geological and Mining Society; D. Wight, president of the South Wales Institute of Engineers; Prof. Dr. H. Potolone of Berlin; W. B. Head, sub-editor of the London Mining Journal; Louis Detrez, president of the Association des Eleves des Ecoles Speciales de Leige Belgium. All of the above are touring Canada as the guests of the Canadian Mining Institute.

In addition there are more visitors accompanying the excursion some of whom are: Roger Beck of Swansea, Wales; C. E. Bloomer, England; G. H. Campbell, Toronto; Dr. W. Campbell, of the department of metallurgy, Columbia university, New York; R. Carlisle, England; S. Cowper-Coles, England; C. Fergie of the Dominion Coal Sales, Glasgow; Bayly J. Hogg, Scotland; Mark Hurl, Scotland; D. B. Langford, England; S. Mayor, Scotland; J. C. Murray, secretary of the Canadian Mining Institute; J. Obalski, superintendent of Mines, Quebec; W. J. W. Wales, G. McI. Fyke, Montreal; W. Rowley, England; N. Richardson, general manager N. Atlantic Collieries, Cape Breton; Dr. Heinrich Riss, Department of Geology, Cornell university; A. Sinn, Switzerland; A. Smith, Columbia university, New York; S. S. Smith, England; A. Watson, Scotland.

RING UP 64

When you want a job of printing done quickly. No. 64 is the telephone number in the Coleman "Miner" office. Last Wednesday the good people of Frank wanted a job done in a hurry. It could not be done in Frank, so it was brought to the "Miner" office. Within an hour after the "copy" was in the "Miner" office, it was finished. Don't forget this, business men, when you are in a rush for printing.

PATENT TO GRAVES

Disgraceful Act of Department of Interior. Will Oliver Remove the Dead?

The beautiful slope of Goat Mountain, just a little from the town of Blairmore, was selected by the then residents of Blairmore as a burying ground, about five years ago. At that time the ground was the property of the Dominion government, but later it was learned that one Joseph Little had made application and had been given permission to homestead the quarter section on which the cemetery was located and in which many bodies had been laid to rest. Immediate steps were taken by the rate payers to inform the Ottawa authorities that Mr. Little had been privileged to homestead the town grave yard, and asking that a portion of the land be set aside for the purpose for which it was now being used. After a great deal of "chewing the rag" Mr. Little signed over about four acres to the town and the transfer was forwarded to Ottawa, being received and acknowledged by the department of interior. The officials at Ottawa assured Mr. Beebe, the village overseer, that all would now be smooth sailing and that a patent would be issued securing the land to the town. Time went on and the people of the whole Pass feeling that the matter had been amicably settled, secured, or at least, thought they secured the plot, they fenced it and erected costly monuments in memory of their loved ones, only to find that through the wilful neglect of the department of interior at Ottawa, presided over by Frank Oliver, that a patent had been issued to Little for the whole quarter section, including the Blairmore grave yard, monuments, fences and corpses. The people became very much incensed when it was learned of Little's possession, and again the wires were kept hot to Ottawa. Assurances were again given by Mr. Oliver that the patent had been issued in error and that he would have the mistake rectified and that the people's money passed and nothing was done. John Herron, M.P., interviewed Mr. Oliver and was informed that the trouble had been settled. All this time considerable friction existed between the people of Blairmore and the owner of the land. Last week while the grave of the late Reuben Steeves was being dug it became necessary to disturb a small portion of a fence erected by Mr. Little, and which, if our information is correct, encroaches on the four acres which was to have been granted to the town. Mr. Little immediately notified Mr. Beebe, who is in charge of the cemetery, that he would cause his arrest but failing to do this the matter was placed in the hands of Colin Macleod, barrister, who notified Mr. Beebe that he had been instructed to enter an action for damages. SEVERELY THIS IS THE LIMIT. Not only the people of Blairmore, but the citizens of the whole Pass who have made their burying ground for years are enraged over the disgraceful state of affairs, and it is hoped that the Ottawa authorities will not lose any time in arranging a satisfactory adjustment, thus avoiding, probably, every serious trouble.

THE HOLY CITY

Harold Nelson supports Bennett's big production at Macleod on Tuesday, October 6th. Among the many brilliant scenes that the production of "The Holy City" presents none is more seasonally superb than the one which Salome, a beautiful daughter of Herodias dances before King Herod and his court. The gorgeous drapery, kaleidoscoped as butterfly wings in rainbow rays, its folds rising and falling around and above her nimble feet like clouds caressed by summer winds, bending and swaying in harmonious motion to the enticing music played by the royal dancers flanking her, the scene is a masterpiece, bewitching the intoxicated monarch, who first offers half his kingdom, but finally grants the head of John the Baptist as a reward for sensuous delight. Equally as are the surroundings of this situation, its dramatic intensity is never lost; the comic and its faithful ending hidden for the moment by the abiding action seldom witnessed on a stage.

THE HOLY CITY

Red Macleod spent Sunday in Lethbridge.

A. Manuel of Frank, was a pleasant visitor at this office this week.

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WHITE MAN'S LAND

Is Canada to remain under the control of the white races, or are we to see, first British Columbia, and then Alberta, and thereafter the whole fair Dominion, invaded by hordes of Chinese and Japanese? Are we to see Canada over ruled by the Mongolians who work for starvation wages, for wages on which a white man could not exist? Rather a strong question, and yet one the answer to which, as taken from the words of the Liberal government in the past session is by no means clear. Hon. Mr. Borden enquired of Hon. Mr. Lemieux, post master general, and plenipotentiary extraordinary from Sir Wilfrid Laurier to the Mikado on January 28 last, 'Might I ask the honorable minister whether his policy is not for a white British Columbia?' To which the honorable minister replied 'No, sir.' And thereafter as the honorable ministers of the type of Lemieux, will, went on to explain that treaty rights must be observed, and that sooner than offend the Mikado, Canada might be over run with Japanese. That is the effect of the speeches of his party also.

Conservatism stand for white Canada. That is what John Herron stands for, and that is what Canada will get when Mr. Borden is returned to power this fall. There will be no over running by Mongolians, no under bidding in work, no settlements of Japanese on our fair prairie lands. Here what honest John Herron said in the house on that date:

"Good wages in British Columbia and plenty of work have always been a great attraction to Asiatics. That province is easy of access, they have come from the earliest days in great numbers and they have invariably driven out the white laboring classes wherever they have come into contact with each other. That makes it a very serious problem. I am sorry there are not more honorable members in this house, who, at some time in their lives, have had to earn their living by the work of their hands or by the sweat of their brows. If they had they probably would be able to appreciate this question more than they do at the present time. They would know what it is to earn a dollar, and they would therefore have more sympathy with the laboring man. The principle of protection is one which predominate in the legislation of this house. We give protection in the form of bounties on iron, steel, lead, coal oil and binder twine, and in the form of duties to manufacturers and also to farmers to some extent. I do not think it is right that the laborer, who does the bulk of the work, should be left entirely unprotected. I do not think that he should have to compete against Asiatic labor in any portion of this fair Dominion of ours. I cannot say much about the Japanese immigrant, but it is a well known fact that although the Chinese are always ready to work for lower wages than a white man, he will get the best wages he can, and when he has earned a certain amount of money which enables him to go home and live in his own country in affluence, he leaves our country. He is not in that regard like the white man. It is estimated that a Jap can live on one-fifth of a Canadian's wages. The better the wages earned by the white laboring man the more money he has to spend and the better he provides for his family. It is not so with the Asiatic, and that is one reason why I think it is wrong that our laboring classes should come into direct competition with the Chinaman, the Jap, or the Hindu."

That is one reason why the voter in the Pass is prepared to support John Herron.

GRAVE YARD SCANDAL

On the front page will be found an account of the disgraceful state of affairs in regard to the Blairmore cemetery. Again we find that the Department of the Interior presided over by Hon. Frank Oliver, granting homestead rights on a quarter section which has been in use for five or more years as a cemetery. Mr. Oliver has had this matter before him for years and he cannot offer any reasonable excuse for his utter disregard for the feelings and rights of the people of this district. It is almost beyond comprehension that such a state of affairs could exist. But they do as the facts go to show. The grave yard is the undisputed property of Joseph Little, an ardent supporter of the Liberal government.

Is it not time for a change? We thought that the Liberal record could not be worse with its timber, land, fishery is seen, land leases, townsites, Arctic expedition and numerous other stakes, but now we are called upon to add the "Blairmore grave yard scandal." The Liberals themselves realize

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Alex. Cameron

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that they cannot again deceive the country and are grasping at everything in sight, "making hay while the sun shines."

REPRESENTATION AT OTTAWA

It is of interest, in view of the Dominion elections this fall, to be reminded that while this year the House of Commons contained 214 members, it will have 221 after the coming general elections because of the rapid increase of population in the new western provinces. This is the altered representation: Ontario, 80; Quebec, 65; Nova Scotia, 15; New Brunswick, 15; Prince Edward Island, 1; Manitoba, 10; Saskatchewan, 10; Alberta, 7; British Columbia, 7; Yukon, 1. It is predicted by the leading independent papers throughout Canada, that the Conservatives under the able leadership of Hon. R. L. Borden, will win with from 10 to 20 majority.

Nelson News: Mr. Smith Curtis addressing the young Liberals last Monday evening said the good times in Canada were entirely due to the fact that Sir Wilfrid Laurier was in power. Will Mr. Curtis please tell us whether Sir Wilfrid also makes the sun shine or whether rain depends at his behest? And does the wind blow in Alberta because it is Premier Rutherford? We forgot, all the good things come as a result of the Liberals being in power. Imagination is a wonderful thing.

With all the water which passes over Niagara Falls, the little American city at the brink of the great precipice, and which bears its name has long had a water supply which left much to be desired. The first step toward this condition has just been made by the appointment of a commission to take the subject in hand and make a report. What seems to be the most feasible plan is to carry a tunnel under the river to the Canadian side, where it is asserted, the water is of finer quality than that obtainable on the American side.

A GAGGED PRESS

Since Laurier took the reins at Ottawa a portion of the press has been gagged by the administration, so that the grafters could loot the country in comparative peace and quietness. One western journal that ran the rapier through all graft schemes was shut out of the mails in the most tyrannical manner. The government has a regular system of gagging the press and the Mail-Emire has the following to say about the matter:

"Under that system money has been given to journals in every constituency. If the journals were active on the side of grafters the payments continued to be made. If they objected to any deal the money was cut off. The St. John Telegraph received a regular sum from 1897 to 1904, when it objected to the terms of the Grand Trunk Pacific. Thereupon the subsidy was withdrawn, and the Sun, which had declared the railway proposition to be most sagacious, was placed upon the pay list. La Patrie, Mr. Tarte's paper, was remembered in the distribution of patronage until the day when Mr. Tarte broke with the government. On that occasion the allowance was transferred to another organ, The Canada, which was under bonds to be faithful. There is no secret about the meaning of the distribution. The money is paid to buy support, and if the support is not given the cash is withdrawn. Under the Laurier system of 'well poisoning' something like \$800,000 is paid out annually, and there has passed from the treasury to subsidized papers during the term of this administration about \$6,000,000. The larger sums that have been given from 1897 to 1907, or in ten years, have been the following:

Montreal Herald	\$217,450
St. John Telegraph	97,750
Montreal Transcript	88,581
Halifax Chronicle	70,138
Quebec Soleil	49,410
Toronto Globe	46,910
Quebec Telegraph	40,968

"Some of the money is paid under the head of advertising, and other sums are given as printing. With reference to the printing, the testimony at Ottawa is that in some cases it is merely a blind. The work is not done by the paper and what the thing really means is that the paper has a revenue of 35 per cent.

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- 1 stock saddle
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- 1 cutter
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- ribes, spreads, etc.
- 8 horses
- New barn, warm and light, 30x75, 2 stories
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Blairmore, Alberta

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SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTH WEST

HOMESEAD REGULATIONS
Any even-numbered section of Dominion Lands in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, excepted from the homestead regulations, is a reserve section. It is the sole head of a family, or any male over 18 years of age, in possession of one-quarter section of 160 acres, more or less.
Application for entry must be made in person by the applicant at a Dominion Lands Agency or Sub-agency for the district in which the land is situated. Entry by proxy may, however, be made at any Agency or Sub-agency by the father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister of the intending homesteader.
Duties—(1) At least six months' residence and cultivation of the land in each year for three years.
(2) A homesteader may, if he so desires, perform the required residence duties by living on farming land owned solely by him, not less than eighty 80 acres in extent, in the vicinity of the homestead. He may also do so by living with family or mother, on certain conditions. Joint ownership of land will not meet this requirement.
(3) A homesteader intending to perform his residence duties in accordance with the above while living with parents or on farming land owned by himself must notify the Agent for the district of such intention.
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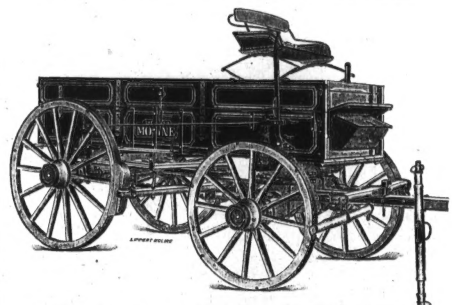
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THE PRE-EMPTED LAND

There seems to be considerable mis-
understanding as to the actual princi-
ples under which the new pre-empted
lands act operates. The doubt is ex-
pressed as to the limitations on the
privileges of homesteaders and the
relations of the general public.
The act specifically gives homestead-
ers in good standing prior rights up to
the night of Sept. 15.
All odd-numbered sections lying next
to even-numbered sections upon which
a homesteader resides are reserved for
the homesteader until the 15th.
After the 15th the priority rights
cease and the homesteader would have
to take his chances with anyone else.
It would probably prevent crushing
and crowding in the Dominion lands
office if the homesteader realized that
his place in line doesn't make any dif-
ference. So long as he is in the Domi-
nion lands office building at closing time
on the 15th his priority claim remains
good and the officials will reserve his
application until his opportunity
comes for being attended to.
The question then arises, can no one
but homesteaders file claims for odd-
numbered sections until after the 15th
instant? The answer is, Yes. Anyone
can apply, providing the odd-numbered
section does not adjoin land now oc-
cupied by a homesteader. In other
words, if there is no one with priority
rights to the land, then the general
public ranks for application privileges
under the conditions imposed by the
law. The situation is therefore not
very difficult to understand, when it is
realized that homesteaders have prior
rights up to the 15th for land adjoining
the land upon which they are home-
steading.
Where there is no homesteader there
can be no prior rights, and the odd-
numbered section ranks the same as
the even for homesteading purposes.

FARMING AT CRESTON

Sitting in a Pullman the other day
and seeing a farmer cultivating in
field near Creston, Dave Elmer, "who
has made the David Harum cigar
famous throughout the Kootenays,"
said: "Would that I were a farmer.
The farmer's life appeals to me. He
bounces out of bed at 5 o'clock in the
morning and carries several tons of
feed to the cows and horses, and about
the same amount of water. It makes
a man's heart feel good to see how the
stock enjoy their feed. Then comes
the cleaning off of the barn, with a
gentle splash of water, and the milking
buckets. Oh! the joys of milking,
especially when the bucket is kicked
over. It is always customary to kick
the cow when the cow kicks the bucket.
The stock is attended to and then the
horses are hitched up and after a few
loads of fertilizer are spread over the
fields, the breakfast bell rings. But
why enumerate the delightful pleas-
ures of farm life. How we all love to
go back to the days of cutting fence
rails, killing hogs and winning corn
on a July afternoon. All right, gentle-
men, if you are satisfied a nice cold
lemonade will do me.

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PINCHER CITY

W. J. Kemp is at Macleod on a busi-
ness trip.

Fred. Horwood left Monday for the
old country.

The gentle zephyrs are again mak-
ing themselves felt.

Claude Campbell of Claresholm, was
in the City on Sunday.

Miss Hogen spent Sunday at T.
Elliott's at Summerview.

Mrs. Angus Robertson is at Leth-
bridge for a few days this week.

Use "New Life," the world's great-
est guaranteed cure for indigestion.

A McLean shipped fifteen cars of
cattle to Montreal for export on Mon-
day last.

Pincher Creek defeated the Peigans
in a foot ball game on labor day.
Score, 3-0.

Mr. Murphy was setting up the
cigars. He is wearing a smile that
won't come off, and says that it is a
girl.

Robert Laidlaw has gone to
Magrath, where he has secured a
position with the "Alberta Pacific
Elevator Co."

Cranbrook Herald: W. E. McDer-
mott, operator at Brockton, is in the
city on a week's vacation, accompan-
ied by his sister.

Among those who succeeded in
obtaining a homestead in the rush at
Lethbridge were, Fred. Hughes and
Howard Ryan.

W. R. Dabbie has commenced
threshing his fall wheat in the large
field just west of here. The yield has
not been stated.

The many friends of Mrs. W. H.
Read will be pleased to learn that she
arrived safely in the old country after
a pleasant voyage.

A year ago to-morrow we had two
feet of snow on the ground and the
crop still uncut. We presume the
farmers and all those dependent upon
them will be in a better frame of mind
on September 12th this year.

A considerable amount of threshing
has already been done in this district,
thus many of the farmers are out of
suspense as to the security of this
year's crops. It insures the prosper-
ity of all in the district for this year.

There has been no frost so far to even
hurt the potatoes, consequently the
grade will be high in addition to an
enormous yield.

Use "New Life," the world's great-
est guaranteed cure for indigestion.

Mr. Baker, government inspector
for this district, were amongst those
who spent an enjoyable outing on
the Landing this week and were
well repaid for their efforts in that
they obtained a large number of the
finest trout of the speckled variety.

They were joined here by other en-
thusiasts in the sport and the south
fork canyon made the happy
hunting ground. The speckled beauties
seemed to enter right into the
sport and made the most interesting
of the few hours. J. W. Hatfield was
well satisfied with his catch which he
estimates at a little over fifty.

**HARD TEST FOR THE CHAMPIONSHIP AT
PINCHER CREEK**

At Pincher Creek, on labor day, a
foot ball match was played for the
championship of the Crow's Nest
Pass, Pincher Creek and Pincher City
being the contestants. A six-side
game was to be played, but on lining
up Bodell, the left back for the City
team, had not arrived and it was then
decided to play a five-side game.

The City team was considerably
weakened by the absence of Laidlaw
who was called away on business a
few days previous, but Ferguson, the
left wing man, took Laidlaw's place.

Play commenced at 11 o'clock with
the City playing with the wind.
Purkis and Fowler still retain their old
form of combination and were making
a fine run towards the City goal, but
their progress was checked by Hoag,
Mowat and Middleton played well
together and did some fine passing,
but the inevitable was the result for
neither man seemed as if he could find
the goal. Both teams worked hard
to score and from a rush from the
City forwards Knight, the Creek cus-
todian, was forced to kick wide and
a corner resulted from the same, mak-
ing one point in favor of the City, and
half time arrived, the game standing
in favor of Pincher City.

On play commencing the Creek
pressed hard for they had their rep-
utation to maintain and they were
not taking defeat easily and so the
City goal was threatened very dan-
gerously at times with shots from
Purkis but Allan was right in front
and executed some smart play. Fer-
guson put in a long shot from a break-
away, but the wind carried the ball
away wide. Only a few minutes
more to play the Creek, as yet, had
no points, but from a long kick, a
corner was forced against the City,
making a draw. About two or three
minutes off time Purkis put in a close
shot and scored, giving Pincher Creek
the victory. Allan's knee was injured
immediately after and he could not
resume play. The game ended with
the score being a goal to none, in
favor of Pincher Creek.

The line up was as follows:
Pincher City Pincher Creek
G. Allan Goal G. Knight
L. J. Hoag Backs C. P. Hincoks
A. Ferguson " H. Allcock
S. Middleton Forwards H. Purkis
A. B. Mowat " E. Fowler
W. Cox acted as referee. Another
match is contemplated for a six-side
to be played on a calm day.

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Angel's Fad.

By ANNA MUNSON.

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Michael Angelo Moultrie was his name, and the diminutive of "Angel," bestowed upon him by a distant mother, was well applied. At least this was the opinion of other tenants in the big Harrington apartment house.

Angel was eight years old, but he scarcely looked six, with his long golden curls and ethereal beauty. In his slender frame suggested some child of the Little Lord Fauntleroy period held over into an age of Buster Brown.

Mrs. Moultrie was possessed of a theory that as the child is named so the tastes incline, and she had set her heart upon his being a painter.

Angel's spotchy water colors were carefully preserved in a huge portfolio against the day they should become the priceless mementos of a world famous painter's youth.

The only child of a widowed mother, Angel was about as badly spoiled as a boy could be and yet escape the reform school, but his meretricious countenance and his big, innocent eyes had enabled him to successfully lie out of complicity in many juvenile crimes. Though the small boys of the block invariably explained that Angel was the instigator of all the mischief, even their own fond mothers believed them to be in a conspiracy to destroy the fair fame of the model child.

Angel was quick to perceive his popularity, and with unerring instinct he found his way to those apartments where candy and cake were to be had. He seemed to know when callers with offerings of candy had visited the different young women, and his own calls were scheduled for the following day.

His one exception was Nannie Dimmick. Nannie seldom entertained callers of the sort Angel most approved. No five pound boxes of sweets lay upon her table, and no great masses of flowers accented the room, yet Angel liked best of all to visit at the Dimmick apartment, for there was a certain tenderness in Nannie Dimmick's manner of which Angel approved most highly.

"She always looks like she's going to cry," he had told his mother in an endeavor to discuss the girl's peculiar charm. "She looks like she's going to cry, but she doesn't. She just holds you tight in her arms, and you feel glad and sorry all at once."

Clearly this blending of emotions appealed to Angel, for he was a regular visitor to the Dimmick apartment, and the girl found odd comfort in his practice.

Nannie sorely needed comfort, for the look of sadness in her eyes deepened as the weeks sped by with no word from Arthur Ryder. When he had come to her with his face aflame with happiness to tell her she had found his chance at last, that the firm had decided to send him on a tour of the African and Asiatic countries to introduce their wares, it had seemed that fate, with kindly hands, had swept barriers from their path.

"It will be the making of me," Arthur had explained. "I start at Cape Town and work my way eastward to Africa, then cross to Asia and so up to China. It will take about eighteen months, but if I make a success I shall be taken into the firm and we can be married, dear."

Mrs. Dimmick had refused to listen to an engagement. Time enough for that when Arthur came back, she had told them. An engagement for a year and a half would be worse than useless.

It would deprive Nannie of many pleasures, and no formal engagement was really necessary, for they both were of the same mind when Arthur should return there would be no opposition to a short engagement and an early marriage.

And so Arthur had gone on his long journey with gladness in his heart, for Nannie had assured him that it did not need the formality of ring and announcement to ratify the promptings of her heart.

First had come glowing letters from London and from Cape Town, letters that breathed of hope and love, then blank silence. For more than a year not a letter in the familiar handwriting had been received, though an inquiry at the office of the firm elicited the information that Mr. Ryder was not only alive, but exceedingly well, according to his reports to the home office.

Mrs. Dimmick had stormed at what she had turned out to be a hoax, but Nannie would not listen to her mother's urgings that she go more into society and forget the affront.

In spite of everything she still loved Ryder, though pride forbade her to confess that fact even to herself, and she had no heart for the bustle and stir of social events. She preferred to stay at home and tell Angel the fairy tales to which he delighted.

She was telling for the hundredth time one of his favorite tales when Mrs. Dimmick came into the room with an envelope.

"A cablegram for you," she announced coldly.

With trembling hands Nannie opened the blue and white envelope and drew out the slip. Her expression changed as she read.

"It is from Arthur," she said quickly. "He is sailing from Japan."

"Much good may it do him," was the sympathetic reply. "This is a nice time to hear from him. It's more than a year since he stopped writing. I suppose that you will let him give you

some funny excuse and be as crazy about him as ever."

"It will take a very excellent excuse to explain his long silence," said Nannie dimly. "Unless he has some legitimate reason to offer I shall refuse to see him."

Gently she put Angel from her lap and slipped off to her room. Angel munched the last of the little cakes brought in for his refreshment and took his departure.

Some weeks later Angel, playing about the lobby, observed a stranger enter and drew near to the telephone desk to learn his destination. Angel was interested in young and good looking strangers as a possible increase in the number of purveyors of candy.

His face took on an expression of surprise as the operator returned an answer that Miss Dimmick was not at home.

"She was there a little while ago," insisted Angel, selfishly interested in the stranger's success.

The operator flashed an angry glance at him, which caused Angel to subside, and the stranger left the lobby with an air of dejection far different from the springy step with which he had entered.

The next day he came again and asked that a note be sent upstairs. He waited for the answer and read it before he turned to leave. Angel followed him to the street.

"She was there a little while ago," insisted Angel, selfishly interested in the stranger's success.

"I say," he began, "are you the fellow Miss Nannie used to like?"

"Why?" asked Ryder, parrying question with question.

"Because she's sore on you because you didn't write," continued Angel. "Are you the fellow?"

Ryder was silent after a moment's hesitation Angel continued:

"On the level, I didn't mean to do nothing, but I took the letters for my collection."

"You are collecting letters?" asked Ryder, hardly comprehending the confession.

"Stamps," explained the Angel. "They were really stamps. I didn't suppose Miss Nannie would care. Ma gets lots of letters that she throws into the fire without reading, so I looked the ones with the funny stamps. I guess that's why she looks like she always wants to cry. I didn't think of it that way until the other day. Then I waited until I saw whether you made it."

Ryder's face grew black as at last he realized what the boy was saying, but Angel's eyes were again his salvation, and the scowl vanished.

"Go up and tell Miss Dimmick what you said," commanded Ryder. "Tell her that I wrote every steamer in spite of the fact I received no replies. Tell her that I have been half frantic over the letters that you can show."

"Burned 'em," explained Angel—that is, all except the stamps. They had no business leaving the mail out on the table where any could see 'em. The elevator boy got most of the picture cards. I don't collect post cards," he added virtuously as though this were some extenuation of his fault.

Ryder paced the sidewalk while Angel went to make his confession. It was a long quarter hour, but at last Angel, his face white and scared, appeared on the steps.

"I fixed it for you," he announced, "but Mrs. Dimmick heard what I said, and I've got to be looking up my life."

And he sat down on the steps while he tried to get his mind on the fatal fascinations of a fad.

The Log Line.

Officers on the coastwise and foreign steamship lines are not limited to their regular duties, but are expected to answer the questions of curious passengers besides, and sometimes, however, the passengers take the matter into their own hands and instruct others more ignorant than themselves.

The pursuer of a well known liner told of a lady who had made a passage before and who in consequence felt a superior knowledge of maritime things.

Several ladies were grouped in the stern, this one among them, when their attention was attracted by the log with its long line attached to the rail.

"Why, what can that be?" inquired one of the party.

"That?" said the knowing one. "Well, you see the vessel has to keep in communication with the land, and in order to tell just how far they have got on the passage they keep one end tied to the dock, and by looking at the amount of line paid out they can tell just how far they are from the other side."

"Oh!" exclaimed the other after this lucid explanation. "Well, I have always heard of the log, but I never knew what one was before. Thank you so much!"—Youth's Companion.

Fourteen Mistakes.

An English paper gives a list of what it terms "the fourteen mistakes of life." While there are undoubtedly others, the list is a fairly complete one.

It is a great mistake to set up our own standard of right and wrong and judge people accordingly, to measure the elevation of others by our own, to expect uniformity of opinion in this world, to look for judgment and experience in youth, to endeavor to mold all dispositions alike, to look for perfection in our own actions, to worry ourselves and others with what cannot be remedied, not to yield in immaterial matters, not to alleviate all that needs alleviation as far as lies in our power, not to make allowances for the infirmities of others, to consider everything impossible that we cannot perform, to believe only what our false minds can grasp, to expect to be able to understand everything.

And the last and greatest mistake of all is to live for time alone, when any moment may launch us into eternity.

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Canada Is Canadian.

The celebration of the founding of Quebec will be, in effect, an imposing demonstration in honor of the Anglo-French enterprise.

For a century and a half Canada was French; from the victory of Wolfe in 1759 it has been under the British flag. Now, more than a century after the coming of Champlain, Canada is Canadian and all Canadians can join proudly in this truly national festival.—Buffalo Commercial.

Their Cleanse While They Cure.—The vegetable compounds of which Parmelee's Vegetable Pills are composed, mainly dandelion and mandarin, clear the stomach and cleanse the system of all impurities, and restore the deranged organs to healthful action. Hence they are the best remedy for indigestion available today.

A trial of them will establish the truth of this assertion and do more to convince the ailing than anything that can be written of these pills.

"When I started in business," said Mr. Dustin Star, reflectively, "I read and learned to tell an untruth."

"And you kept your word?"

"Yes. Whenever I had any deal, I made it on the spot. I hired an expert."—Washington Star.

BRIGHT LITTLE ONES.

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Babies that are well sleep well, eat well, and play well. A child that is not rosy-cheeked and playful needs immediate attention, and in all the world there is no medicine can equal Baby's Own Tablets for curing indigestion, constipation, diarrhoea, teething troubles and the other ailments which young children suffer.

The mother who uses this medicine has the guarantee of a government analyst that it is absolutely safe. Mrs. J. L. Janelle, St. Sylvestre, Que., says:—"I find Baby's Own Tablets the most satisfactory medicine I have ever used for constipation, teething troubles and breaking up colics. Every mother should keep this medicine in her home."

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Jack—There goes Mrs. Parsons. She used to be a decidedly pretty girl. Tom—Isn't she still pretty?

Jack—No. Marriage seems to have tamed her, and now she's an expert.—Chicago News.

"Simpkins refuses to have his flat papered," reported the agent of the building.

"What's the matter now?" inquired the owner.

"He claims they haven't roomed enough as it is."—Judge.

Ask for Minard's and take no other.

"Johnny, why don't you be a good boy like your brother Willy?" the mother said to her naughty son.

"Willy here may be President some day, while you will have to dig in the sewer."

"But, mother," wailed Willy, "can't I dig in the sewer sometimes, too?"—Harper's Weekly.

"Gracious!" exclaimed Mr. Swellman, "the baby has eaten a lot of that dog biscuit."

"Never mind, dear," replied Mrs. Swellman. "It just serves Fido right, for he's taken the baby's food many times."—Philadelphia Press.

An English Skyscraper.

The first skyscraper in England will be built at Liverpool, where the corporation have authorized the construction of an office building rising to a height of 300 feet above the road level.

The site of the new building, which will be used as the offices of a Liverpool assurance company, is opposite the Prince's Landing stage on the bank of the Mersey. The building has been designed to be a fire-resisting material.

The great height of the new office is shown by comparison with the following figures of some familiar public buildings:

Tower bridge 142 feet
St. Paul's cathedral 111 feet
Big Ben tower 96 feet

HEIR TO THE LEADERSHIP.

Lloyd-George Now the Second Man in the Country—Rapid Advancement.

Mr. Lloyd-George is now the second man in the country, and therefore, for the time being, in the country. He was, of course, predestined for promotion. Among many successful Ministers he has been the most successful.

In the past two years he has raised from a comparatively minor office to the highest level of prominence and utility. He has shown great industrial confidence; he has passed some bold and beneficent measures; he has tackled and solved problems, such, for example, as the Port of London problem, that his predecessors found insoluble; he has shown himself to be beyond comparison, the business man of the Cabinet.

The nation that only a few years ago was ready to stone him now recognizes that it has possessed in the President of the Board of Trade an asset of the first value. Everyone likes him; everyone trusts him. His union of a warm nature with a hard head has brought him the affectionate confidence of the people.

When it is known that Mr. Lloyd-George has taken up a question people cease to worry about it, and he has some of the most ardent of faith with the masses and in the world of business that he cannot fail.

Even, however, about Mr. Lloyd-George opinion is not quite unanimous. There is a small group of a politician, too little of a statesman, secretive, with no "judicial" look, who is in him a constant irritant. The charming Celtic way, liable at any moment to kick over the traces, and not orthodox on the question of Free Trade, in part the Spectator's right.

Mr. Lloyd-George is a Welshman. He is not a native of Wales, but an Irish. One would have to go back to the days of Owen Glendower to discover the end who was at the time of the Free Trade, in part the Spectator's right.

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A BAR OF SOAP.

What It Did For the Missionaries in Madagascar.

The introduction of Christianity into heathen countries has been more or less closely connected with trade and the arts of civilization. The government has often been keenly alive to the advantage of science, but hostile to religious teaching. Such was the case in Madagascar in the middle of the last century, as is told in the pages of Rev. W. E. Cousins' book, "Madagascar of Today."

Queen Ranavalona was beginning to feel uneasy about the growing influence of foreign ideas and wished to get rid of the missionaries. She sent some officers to carry her message. The missionaries were gathered together to meet the queen's messengers and were told that they had been a long time in the country and had taught much, but that it was now time for them to think of returning to their native land.

The missionaries, alarmed at this message, answered that they had only begun to teach some of the elements of knowledge and that much remained to be imparted. They mentioned sundry branches of education, among which were the Greek and Hebrew languages, which had already been partially taught to some.

The messengers returned to the queen and soon came back with this answer: "The queen does not care much for Greek and Hebrew. Can you teach something more useful? Can you, for example, teach how to make soap?"

This was an awkward question to address to theologians, but after a moment's pause Mr. Griffiths turned to Mr. Cameron and asked him whether he could answer it.

"Give me a week," said Mr. Cameron, and the week was given. At its close the queen's messengers again met the missionaries, and Mr. Cameron was able to present to them a bar of tolerably good white soap made entirely from materials found in the country. This was an eminently satisfactory answer, and the manufacture of soap was forthwith introduced and is still continued to the present day, although no one would now venture to call the soap "white."

As a result of making this bar of soap the mission gained a respite of about five years, during which time the queen still tolerated the presence and teaching of the missionaries for the sake of the material advantages derived from the work of the artisans, and it was during these years that the first churches were formed and the Christian religion began to take deep root among the people.

The Lighter Side.

Adaptability counts in the big and little affairs of life. Elder J. W. Cook recalls in his book, "Forty-five Years a Minister," an incident which occurred in Adams County, Pa.

I arrived at my appointment just at night. It was raining, but the people turned out just the same. The schoolhouse was of logs, and inside it was as dark as a cat's paw, and made it impossible to see anything.

"Will some one please light the candle?" I called out.

But there was no candle to light, no grease, no oil of any kind. The schoolhouse was crowded and the rain just pouring down. It was a good half mile to the nearest house where a candle might be procured. But a resourceful brother relieved the situation.

"We must have a meeting," he said; "that's certain. The boys traveled over here to preach for us, and he's got to do it. Now we'll tear off some planks from the platform and light 'em and take turns about holdin' 'em so's he can see his Bible. I got patches."

"That meeting under the flickering splinter light was an astonishing success," comments Elder Cook in conclusion.

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Insomnia The Enemy To Good Looks

Watching Gold Fish Often Induces Sleep

A Rotary Motion of the Head, Woods Drawings

Scanty Eyebrows

Will your scanty eyebrows be improved by Dr. Wilson's treatment? Can scanty eyebrows be improved? Very bad cases of freckles can be removed by perfectly harmless methods, though the results are not always permanent. Some skins are naturally prone to them. However, it is easy to repeat the treatment when occasion requires. Following is a good formula. You can apply it yourself.

Dr. Wilson's Treatment for Oily Skin

Scanty Eyebrows.
Recommended by Dr. Wilson, and though excellent in obstinate cases, does not cure all conditions equally well. Eyebrow ointment, 1 ounce; sulphate of zinc, 5 grains. Mix with water. Rub the affected parts of the skin at night. In the morning wash the eyebrows with cold water and afterward apply a lotion thus composed: Infusion of rose, 1/2 pint; citric acid, 20 grains. All local discolorations, Dr. Wilson affirms, will disappear under this treatment. If the freckles do not entirely yield, they will at least be greatly ameliorated. The following recipe should stimulate the growth of your eyebrows:

Eyebrow and Eyelash Grower.

Cologne, 10 ounces; glycerine, 10 ounces; fluid extract of Jaborandi, 2 drams; purified. Apply to the eyebrows with the brush and to the eyelashes with the corner of the brush. Rub gently and evenly, using the edge of the eyelids, extending extreme care that no minute portion of the lotion touches the eye itself.

To Remove Hairs

Will you please print in your columns as soon as possible a good remedy for removing hair from the upper lip and chin. Use the depilatory of sulphide of strontium as given for "H. S."



No sufferer from the disease needs to be told of the tortures of insomnia. The mere strain of waiting through the long night for the rest which never comes is ruinous to the nerves, leaving the subject of the disastrous effects of loss of sleep out of the discussion. Few, however, know of the really damaging ravages it makes on whatever good looks its unfortunate victim may possess.

Only one night of sleeplessness brings as its concomitant heavy eyes, dull skin and flabby muscles; think, then, of the results of many weeks absolutely devoid of slumber! One hesitates before a catalogue of the ill effects of this dread disorder brings in its train. Lustreless hair, wrinkles, dark circles under the eyes, trembling hands—all are numbered within it.

Fortunately, insomnia is no longer an incurable ill. It occupies, in fact, something of the position of the proverbial cold for which there are more remedies than there are sufferers from it. The fact that it is so long considered irremedial was due to the failure of the old and established "cures." "Counting the sheep as they go over the wall," once the most widely believed of these, is a sure road to insanity rather than to sleep! So, too, of the counting exercises, when one is supposed to lie wide-eyed and count one thousand, or ten thousand, or a hundred thousand, the agony usually being terminated only by the cock's crow or the breakfast bell. All of these tasks are impositions upon the already overworked nervous system, and generally aggravate the condition instead of relieving it.

THE VALUE OF REPOSE

The new science teaches the value of repose. Only by perfect rest, and that forgetfulness that comes only through extreme concentration, can one acquire sleep. First of all, the body must be thoroughly relaxed and as little disturbed by clothing as possible. Lie flat on your back and make no effort to close your eyes; in fact, abjure muscular effort entirely. Then, striving for the utmost concentration, carry out one of the following exercises: Imagine the word "Repose" or "Relax" to be hung on a sign over your bed, and, even though the room be in utter darkness, pretend to yourself that you can see it perfectly. Continue staring at this fictitious word, concentrating all your attention on it, until the eyelids fall of themselves and sleep rewards your efforts. The second exercise is more difficult and requires some practice. In the same way as in the previous drill, imagine the word "Repose" to be written in letters of fire, and allow the flame to travel over your entire body, from your head to each of your feet. At first this feat appears impossible, and even ridiculous, but in a short time it becomes easy, and is a sure way of inducing slumber.

To pass from the purely mental to the purely physical, insomnia is often cured by taking nourishment before retiring and during the night. On a small table by the bed place a spirit or electric lamp, a glass of milk, or orange or lemon juice, and a few crackers or biscuits. This is best for intermittent sleepers, as a little warm milk and a cracker taken whenever one awakes soon destroy the reason for their presence. Oranges are also good for this purpose, for the sleepless one's neighbors do not object to the odor. Never take any heavy food, but have something warm if possible, if it is only a glass of hot water.

Exercise plays an important part in the new treatment. One of the finest of these, causing actual dizziness, is to roll the head from side to side, and backward and forward, until it drops from exhaustion. Do not, however, employ this exercise immediately after rising, as it may induce dizziness. Deep breathing is of the greatest benefit.

It, and should be practiced regularly before retiring. Stand in loose negligé at a wide open window, and take twenty or thirty of the deepest breaths you can muster, throwing the head far back and rising on the toes with each one.

Many persons already afflicted with insomnia have cured themselves by systematic reading. Naturally the book chosen should not be too absorbing or exciting, but neither should it be so dull as not to hold the attention at all. One of the modern light novels is admirable for the purpose. Unfortunately, most persons attempting this method wrap themselves securely in a kimono or negligé, and sit in a chair by the bedside to read. As a result, when they begin to grow drowsy they must arise, lay down the book, turn out the light, remove the wrapper and climb into bed, all of which effectively destroys any tendency to slumber. The correct "method" is to do your reading sitting up in bed, with the light read "enough" to extinguish without getting up at all. Better still, if you have an invalid's table, you may simply place your book on that, and push it away from the bedside without even leaning over. Last of all, the book should not, unless you are possessed of one of these tables, be heavy enough to prove a serious weight.

Concentration is the keynote of all these mental exercises. Perhaps the simplest way to obtain this is by staring at either some bright stationary object, or at one whose movements bewilder the mind by their brilliancy and velocity. An electric light, often within the range of one's window, in the city, at least, is perhaps the best example of the former, and a bowl of goldfish, of the latter. Gazing steadily at either of them, or at anything of the sort, will soon close the eyelids from utter weariness.

Perhaps the worst thing that could be done by the sufferer from insomnia is to lie in a strained position, with the eyes tightly closed, in an effort to force the coming of sleep. This is all wrong. In the first place, one should lie in a perfectly relaxed position, with the head at least on a level with the feet, which precludes any but a very low pillow. The bedclothes should be as light as is consistent with warmth, and the room should be well ventilated. Far from closing the eyes, the very best thing one can do is to hold them wide open. When exhaustion causes them to drop, they should be forced open again, until one is too weary to lift them, and sleep comes as a result.

Nearly every one of these cures is a preventive as well, and if for any reason one fears that he is going to lose sleep, nothing better could be recommended "for fear" the expected attack. Indirectly each of them is, too, a beautifier, for the slumber they induce is the surest road to good looks. By removing nervous strain incident to insomnia they remove a host of petty ills, and that beauty which only health can bring comes as a result.

Finally, the victim of insomnia need fear the effects of none of these remedies. Each is absolutely harmless, and the surest proof of this assertion lies in the fact that even those not sufferers from this "evil disorder" would benefit greatly by their use. That is the best medicine which is the well man's food.



Stare at the Imaginary Word "Repose"



Give you the name of some city drug who can.

Wrinkles Under the Eyes

Could you give me some recipe for getting rid of wrinkles under the eyes? I have three deep wrinkles under each eye, and when I laugh about me deep wrinkles and at the outer corner of each eye. There are also two deep lines at each corner of my mouth when I laugh.

M. T.

If the wrinkles are not of very long standing, you might try the following:

Milk of White Roses.

Rosewater (A Cure for Wrinkles). 1 pint Simple tincture of benzoin 1 ounce Ailur of rose 1 drop But the rosewater is a hair, add the tincture of benzoin a drop at a time. Add a drop of rose, and bottle. Perhaps the best thing you could do, however, would be to massage the wrinkles. Full directions for massaging the face have been given in so recent an article that it will not be necessary to repeat them now. Almost, every one has those "laughing wrinkles," and they are very hard to get rid of, especially when of long standing. Massage is slow in its results, but it is practically certain by its means.

Enlarged Pores and Wrinkles

Find your green soap treatment for blackheads. The enlarged pores ought to disappear under this lotion.

Lotion for Enlarged Pores.

Boiled and distilled water 1 quart Distilled witch hazel 4 ounces Apply with a bit of cotton or absorbent cotton.

Constant massage alone can remove the wrinkles. Massage the forehead night and morning with a good cream, and they will finally be removed.

Massage Cream.

White vasoline 1/2 ounce Sweet almond oil 1/2 ounce Tincture of benzoin 1/2 ounce Distilled water 1/2 ounce Apply with a bit of cotton or absorbent cotton.

Quelling the Nerves to Induce Sleep

TIMELY ADVICE BY MRS. HENRY SYMES

Face Troubles

Will you please let me know if the lines that run from the nose to the chin can be removed? Please give me rules for massage and a good skin food. I am a heavy coffee and tea drinker, and my skin is very dry and when I laugh I can feel my face draw. Can you give me anything for such a dry skin? I am a heavy coffee and tea drinker, and my skin is very dry and when I laugh I can feel my face draw. Can you give me anything for such a dry skin? I am a heavy coffee and tea drinker, and my skin is very dry and when I laugh I can feel my face draw. Can you give me anything for such a dry skin?

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Bloom of Roses. A good face powder is the following:

Powder of White Geranium.

A Toilet Powder.

Starch powder 1/2 ounce White wax 1/2 ounce White petroleum 1/2 ounce Perfume to suit

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For a Rough Skin

I would like to have a good cold cream for my face. How would you advise me to treat my skin? It is so rough, and the pores are large, giving my face a coarse, country look. I have tried many cold creams, but none seem to do the work. I want a cold cream that will make my skin fine and smooth. Also something to rub on my face to make it look like a baby's skin. I have tried many cold creams, but none seem to do the work. I want a cold cream that will make my skin fine and smooth. Also something to rub on my face to make it look like a baby's skin.

How to Use the Camel's-Hair Face Scrubbing Brush.

Immerse the brush in warm water, and squeeze it out. Then, with the brush, scrub the face thoroughly, using the brush in the direction of the hair. Do not scrub too hard, but scrub enough to remove the dirt and grease from the pores. Rub the face with a soft cloth, and then apply a good cold cream. The brush will make a fine skin.

Cleaning Cream.

White wax 1/2 ounce Rosewater 1/2 ounce Simple tincture of benzoin 1 ounce Ailur of rose 1 drop

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Pincher City - - Pincher City

This will be good reading for you, and especially so to those who are so fortunate as to own some of Pincher City's realty, and there are quite a number who are fortunate, to hear and to know that Pincher City has a good supply of pure water. The "no water" cry has been persistently used against the progress of Pincher City and has had a telling effect on its progress, and especially with those who are not familiar with the location of Pincher City, it may be news to some of you to know that a complete gravity water works system can be installed in Pincher City, for what it is estimated it will cost to protect our neighboring town property, from the encroachment of its turbulent creek, which proves conclusively that the "no water" cry is a myth, and always has been, and has been used against Pincher City to retard its growth. This mythical cry, "no water," together with the money stringency that has prevailed for the past year, not only in this district but all over the American continent, has kept Pincher City from forging ahead to the rank where it belongs. But now the money stringency is a thing of the past and the cry of "no water supply" has gone the same road, there is no reason why Pincher City should not begin its second growth, and the second growth of any town always exceeds the first. The most difficult part of starting a new town is laying the foundation; the foundation of Pincher City is laid.

Thousands of dollars are invested in Pincher City, which gives it stability, backed by a large fertile country which is fast being brought under cultivation, having excellent railway facilities, line wagon road connections with the surrounding country, good public school, church, stores, elevators and pure water, we feel as if we were not asking you to assume any risk, when we ask you to invest in property here with a view of becoming a resident of Pincher City.

We want people who will help build up the town, who have a mind of their own, can think and act for themselves, and who can not be influenced by people who are willing to give them financial and other advice to further their own interests, these are the kind of people that we want to help us build up Pincher City. We think Pincher City is going to grow, and grow fast, and to those who would like to help make it grow we will give special inducements.

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BLAIRMORE

A. A. Sparks is around again after a few day indisposition. The Cosmopolitan hotel having secured a license is again opened for business.

Mrs. S. M. Lyon, mother of H. E. Lyon, returned Wednesday from an extended visit to her daughter in Calgary.

The residence which is being constructed in the Pelletier section by contractors Frayer & Sinclair, for A. B. Hames, will be completed this week. Leslie Mills leaves this week for his home in Renfrew, Ont. He with his brother Willie, will attend Queen's college, Kingston, commencing October 1st.

MATERIAL PARSONS

The Cranbrook Herald was threatened by a person with a libel suit. This would be wrong upon the part of the person, as Christ did not teach any of His followers to sue newspapers. But the church being largely commercial these days, it is not surprising to see a pulpit-pounder forget his prayers, buckle on his tomahawk and after the scalp of some poor human individual who has chanced to slight his dignity or egotism. Ministers are much like other men. A few good, and the majority from worse to middling. Some sky-pilots are noble souls, while others are mere theological parrots, chattering a lot of boiler-plate matter about a dead past and a misty future, merely for the bread and butter, coupled with the social standing that goes with a clerical suit of clothes and a white necktie. The majority of persons do not believe what they preach. If they do, they become insane and annoy the public with their irrational views upon the way we should live. We admire a preacher who does not get drunk upon theological dope until he becomes a nuisance in the community, but who in a manly way stands up and fights the enemy without becoming a bore, a gossip or a knocker. All evil is but undeveloped good, but it requires an expert to make the transformation, and we regret to say that few men in the clerical profession have as yet discovered the combination. They live in mud, preach mud, and will return to mud without being able to get telephone connection with the divine ether that floats high above the puddles and muddles of this fear-crazed and dollar-chasing universe. Verily brethren, nine-tenths of the so-called ministers of the gospel will have to be born again several times before they will discover the spiritual serum that kills all sin and fills the human race with a bliss that never pinches out.

islers are much like other men. A few good, and the majority from worse to middling. Some sky-pilots are noble souls, while others are mere theological parrots, chattering a lot of boiler-plate matter about a dead past and a misty future, merely for the bread and butter, coupled with the social standing that goes with a clerical suit of clothes and a white necktie. The majority of persons do not believe what they preach. If they do, they become insane and annoy the public with their irrational views upon the way we should live. We admire a preacher who does not get drunk upon theological dope until he becomes a nuisance in the community, but who in a manly way stands up and fights the enemy without becoming a bore, a gossip or a knocker. All evil is but undeveloped good, but it requires an expert to make the transformation, and we regret to say that few men in the clerical profession have as yet discovered the combination. They live in mud, preach mud, and will return to mud without being able to get telephone connection with the divine ether that floats high above the puddles and muddles of this fear-crazed and dollar-chasing universe. Verily brethren, nine-tenths of the so-called ministers of the gospel will have to be born again several times before they will discover the spiritual serum that kills all sin and fills the human race with a bliss that never pinches out.

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JOE MARTIN EXPLAINS SIR WILFRID'S DEFECTION

Tariffs and political morality formed the basis of a discussion the other day at the Free Trade congress. Joe Martin said that when Laurier's government came into power the people voted in favor of free trade. He attributed the subsequent change to two causes, those in favor of protection had money to spend for their purposes and Laurier and his colleagues were not able to resist the insidious attack against them. So successful were these attacks that the protectionist principles had got into the British board of trade whose head was such an ardent freetrader as Churchill. A British trade commissioner had been sent to Canada and his report was filled with protective arguments.